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COUNTRY Soviet Zone of AustriaREPORT NO. TOPIC Soviet Troops in GOETZENDORF, Austria

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1. About sixty canvas-covered tanks were seen in the western equipment sheds of the Fasangarten Kaserne, southeast of GOETZENDORF (P 49/X 57), on 5 July 1949. Local residents reported that about three hundred recruits arrived at the kaserne the previous week.

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- a. the above information on 8 July 1949

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- b. (driver wearing red-bordered, black epaulets) entering the kaserne on 29 June 1949.

- c. Soviet tank units have been stationed in GOETZENDORF since October 1948. According to previous information on the disposition of troops in Austria, the GOETZENDORF tank units are assigned to either the 170th Indep Tank Regt or to the 15th Gds Tank Regt of the 13th Gds Mecz Div.

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